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for disinfection in a day or two. All of the other foci have been thoroughly disinfected, and no other danger is apprehended.

The weather conditions have been favorable; copious rainfall and cool winds have cleansed the town and lowered the temperature.

A sharp lookout is being kept for suspicious cases, and the community lends its aid to all sanitary measures suggested by us to stamp out the infection. The general health of the community is good. Physicians report little or no sickness of any kind. There have been no deaths during the past week.

Respectfully, HERMAN B. MOHR,
Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,
U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

COSTA RICA.

Report from Port Limon—Fruit port.

PORT LIMON, COSTA RICA, *August 12, 1900.*

SIR: I have the honor to submit report for week ended August 11. The following vessels have cleared from this port direct for the United States:

Date.	Vessel.	Master.	No. of crew.	Destination.	Number of passengers.	Number pieces baggage disinfected.
Aug. 8	Steamship Kitty	Montansen	19	Mobile, Ala.	0	0
Aug. 9	Steamship Beverly	Israel	36	do	0	0
Aug. 11	Steamship Anselm	Brown	38	do	0	0

The sanitary conditions of Port Limon and vicinity are fair. One case of smallpox developed August 8, which I reported to you. Nine deaths during the week, as follows: August 5, an adult 54 years, from syphilis. August 6, a child 2 months, from inanition; an adult 23 years, from Bright's disease; a child 1 year, from convulsions. August 7, a child 1 year and 2 months, from pneumonia; a child 1 year and 3 months, from intermittent fever. August 9, a child 8 years, from intermittent fever. August 10, a child 4 months, from intermittent fever; and August 11, an adult 40 years, from dysentery.

Respectfully, J. GREY THOMAS,
Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,
U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

A case of yellow fever on steamship Cunard at Port Limon.

[Telegram.]

PORT LIMON, COSTA RICA, *August 22, 1900.*

One case yellow fever from Colon on steamer *Cunard* removed to Quarantine Island.

THOMAS.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,
U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.